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Crazy Ellen.

HENRY T. STANTON.

The following poem was written by Maj. H. T. Stanton during the trial of Ellen Godwin under a writ of habeas corpus and at a time when all the world was agitated by the trial of Mrs. Surratt. The narrative is told in exact accordance with the facts, but as to its being given to the world, or any part of it, save a few of the friends of the author, there is in my mind some doubt.

Maj. Stanton was in Hartford some years ago and read or recited the poem to a few friends and it was much enjoyed by the public. The narrative is told in exact accordance with the facts, but as to its being given to the world, or any part of it, save a few of the friends of the author, there is in my mind some doubt.

When, fair as a lily and free as a bird Her heart to the depths of its blood was stilled;

And memory clung to the cruel wrongs

For which she had haunted so long, so long.

What solace for me in the livelong day?

What law for the maid when the man betrayed?

Who punished the cup of a virtue drained?

I furnished him the right; I taught the wrong;

I haunted him; haunted him long, so long.

Her story was told to the eager crowd,

Never too lowly and never too loud;

But clear as the notes of the bells that beat

At the midnight time in the bitter street—

Clear as the fall of her foot in the way

Of the man she followed from day to day.

And this was its spirit that years ago—

Back, back, in the time of her childhood's

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1881.

Democratic Ticket.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE,
JESSE S. WILLIAMS,

FOR STATE SENATOR,
JUDGE THOMAS C. CARSON,

The President was not so well yesterday morning. The relapse, however, is not regarded as serious.

EX-PRESIDENT HAYES, of Ohio, and Hon. W. Gratz Brown, of Missouri, are coming to Kentucky soon in the interest of temperance.

The State *Sentinel* is a bright sheet recently started at Corydon by Mr. T. S. Cannon. We wish it a liberal support and a bright future.

HENRY KING, formerly connected with this paper, has commenced on his own account the publication, at Corydon, Ky., of the *Marywood*, an 8x10 sheet. It is little, but it's loud.

We gratefully acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the second annual banquet of the Association of Shorthorn Breeders of America, to be held at Winchester, Ky., July 26, 1881.

We return our thanks to John B. Montague, Esq., Secretary, for a complimentary ticket to the Simpson county fair, to be held at Franklin, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 15, 16 and 17, 1881.

We give place to a communication from Butler county in this issue in the interest of Captain Poole—that is, we suppose it was thus intended. We publish it just upon the same terms that we do for all candidates—regular advertising rates.

JUDGE HINES, of the Court of Appeals, has reinstated the injunction against the Simmons & Dickinson lottery, known as the Kentucky State lottery. This will prove a blessing to many people who are liable to be gulled by this swindling concern.

JUDGE F. P. MORGAN, Police Judge of Harford, has resigned, to take effect after the August election. Judge Morgan has made a good officer, and resigns because of the embolments being too small to justify his loss of time from his other business.

The Proper Punishment.

We have selected a punishment for the assassin of the President, which, although unrecognized by the law, ought to be administered in his case, as it would be more poignant than any other that human ingenuity could invent, or outraged justice suggest. This punishment our heart naturally revolts from prescribing, but the age in which we live demands that something be done to check the progress of crime by deterring the would-be criminal from his purpose, and also serve as a warning to those who have, as yet, never left the path of early piety and pristine innocence. Add steel on steel to hearts already hard and, although our hand trembles as we write of something that no being with a heart in any degree human could think without blanched cheeks and knees quaking with fear, we will proceed to tell of the terrible retribution.

Let the criminal be bound securely in his cell so that he from the exquisite torture undergone may not grow desperate and take his own life the blind goddess has been stoned.

Then, as a second step, cause the punisters of the Kentucky press, led by Charles Meacham, of the Hopkinsville *South Kentuckian*, to file slowly in all their fleshly ugliness and revile to him their perpetrations on his name. The first dagger to sink to the very hill in the wretched victim's soul, yet not to do his body harm, should be Meacham's "The President will Guiteau-er it." "This and That," of the *Courier-Journal*, should make the next thrust with "He'll Guiteau-er it." "Stalwart music: The light Guiteau-er it." "Soft guitar of Mentor was not so terrible as the other Guiteau-er of Washington?" Next let Norwood, of the Russellville *Herald-Enterprise*, get at him with "If the crime had been committed in Kentucky between a 'Borof' jury and a 'humane' governor, he'd Guiteau-er it!" Then administer a stimulant and give him two minutes rest and then a dose of Gruelle like this, "Gaily, the hangmanswings his sweet Guiteau-er it" and this by some other feline: "If the President gets well he will have to get up and Guiteau-er." When this point is reached the spectators will cry as one man, "Enough, O Merciful God, enough!" Let the executioners Guiteau-er! The punisters should then be taken out and, like the grave-diggers of Alaric, killed in order that the secret of Guiteau's punishment should be forever kept. If the assassin still survives, he is too noble for death and should be given thirty dollars and a horse-pistol and sent North to his mamma.

BOROUGH BRANCH.

July 14, 1881.

Editor Herald:

I have a moonlight picnic. Everybody came and had a splendid time. We had a great many visitors from Cincinatti, Rosine, Spring Lick, Ford's Store, and a few from Henderson. The picnic was a success, all killed off. James Wilson is in town with invitations for the boys to attend court.

Charles Willcocks, of Owensboro, was in town this week.

J. H. English of this place, is visiting friends in Cincinatti.

The merchants of this place are busy. J. M. Allen has returned to this place. J. M. Arnold is the happy boy. It is a boy.

We are to have a dance here as soon as the weather gets cooler.

HASH.

Klein's Second Comet.

HARTFORD, Ky., July 14, 1881.

Editor Herald:

I discovered a comet July 5, 1881, between the earth and sun, and from its orbit found that it laid from 20 to 25 degrees southeast of my last comet, and about the same distance northwest, crossing the orbit that way. I traced it back to the sun, and found it to be the comet of 1772. This I had accomplished July 9th, and on the 11th some friends told me that I ought to make a full statement of the facts relating to it and approve it and send it to the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y. I got Mr. Charles M. Pendleton to get the facts and send them to me, and he said that he had not; so said, "Send next thing will be done." As with the second comet, I did not know what to do with it, and that time I said to Mr. Pendleton that "it is a strange thing to why astronomers let two large comets pass by without discovering them. This proves to me that they surely do not watch or do not understand their business." Mr. Pendleton, however, neglected his part, and on the 14th I asked him if he had sent on that matter and he said that he had not; so said, "Send next thing will be done." As with the second comet, I did not know what to do with it, and that time I said to Mr. Pendleton that "it is a strange thing to why astronomers let two large comets pass by without discovering them. This proves to me that they surely do not watch or do not understand their business." Mr. Pendleton, however, neglected his part, and on the 14th I asked him if he had sent on that matter and he said that he had not; so said, "Send next thing will be done." As with the second comet, I did not know what to do with it, and that time I said to Mr. Pendleton that "it is a strange thing to why astronomers let two large comets pass by without discovering them. This proves to me that they surely do not watch or do not understand their business."

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OUR AGENTS.

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John T. Martin, Rosine.
Will Cooper, Cromwell.
Dr. V. M. Taylor, McHenry.
John W. Mahan, Rockport.
David Rogers, Buford.
Jno. T. Smith, Fordsville.
A. S. Aull, Sulphur Springs.
R. P. Magan, Magan's.
Geo. M. Rowe, Ceralvo.
Dr. G. R. Sanders, Centerpoint.
J. S. T. Neal, Caneyville.
T. J. Burch, Morgantown.
W. H. McDowell, Beaver Dam.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce Col. Q. C. SHANKS a candidate to represent Ohio county in the next Legislature of Kentucky. Election August 1881.

We are authorized to announce DANIEL SCARCE a candidate for Marshal of the town of Hartford. Election August 1, 1881.

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. D. Maddox, of Rockport, is attending Hartford Normal School.

Miss Nora Taylor, of Beaver Dam, is a pupil of Hartford Normal School.

Wm. H. Many, accompanied by his family, is visiting his parents in Dixon this week.

Mr. Dudley Ford and Miss Lizzie Johnson, of Pleasant Ridge, were in town yesterday.

We had a call from Mr. W. H. Mez, of the Standard Stave Company, Elm Lick, yesterday.

Mr. J. S. Vaughn returned last Monday from an extended visit to relatives in Christian county.

Hon. S. E. Hill and family returned from a visit to Litchfield and Grayson Springs last Sunday.

Misses Lorena Lewis and George Howard, of Daviess county, are attending the Normal School at Hartford College.

Dr. Amos Davis and family, of Pleasant Ridge, were visiting the parents of Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hardwick, this week.

Hon. E. D. Walker and daughter, Miss Lizzie, returned from Litchfield a few days ago, where Mr. Walker had been attending Circuit Court.

Hon. Ella Burnett, of Boyle county, who has been visiting her uncle, Judge W. P. Gregory, for several days past, left for Grayson Springs last Thursday.

Mr. J. F. Hardman, of Paradise, is visiting friends in this place. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughn. We had the pleasure of a call from her yesterday evening.

In our personal column last week we omitted to mention the fact that Mrs. Helen Coyle, of Louisville, was visiting her brothers, Messrs. George and J. M. Klein, of this place.

Mrs. Nannie Alexander, who has been visiting relatives in Shelbyville, Christiansburg and Louisville for several weeks, returned home last week, to the gratification of her many friends here.

Messrs. Z. A. and E. M. Rosenberg, who have been in the mercantile business here for some time past, have closed out business. They left for Louisville last Monday. We hope their lines may fall in pleasant places.

New lawns at Anderson's Bazaar.

The days are beginning to grow shorter.

More new dress goods this week at Anderson's Bazaar.

Don't forget the barbecue at Elm Lick next Saturday.

All-new dress-linen, for ladies' blouses, only 15 cents a yard at Anderson's Bazaar.

Hon. S. E. Hill was elected special judge during his stay in Litchfield attending Circuit Court last week.

The citizens of Rockport will give a grand free barbecue in the beach grove opposite that place on Thursday, July 28. A good time is promised to all.

Hon. Hill, Bob Hardwick, Wm. H. Many and George Brown, of color, bore off the prizes being the first to catch the prisoners.

For five years, says Mr. J. Echler, this city, I have been afflicted with rheumatism, and for two years have had a sore on my leg the size of a silver dollar, which nothing would heal. St. Jacob's Oil cured the rheumatism and healed the sore.—*Harrison (Pa.) Independent.*

To create a hearty and regular appetite and at the same time have all kinds of food "agree" with the stomach, use Ball's Digestive Salt at your table, instead of ordinary table salt. See advertisement in another column.

27 fm.

The medicines of Dundas Dick & Co. are unexcelled for elegance, purity, and reliability. Their Skidelite Self-light Powders are as pleasant as lemonade. Their soft capsules are world famous. See advertisement. For sale by Thomas & Kimbley, druggists, Hartford, Ky.

Mr. Walker Stevens, of Beaver Dam, put in twenty-four consecutive hours at work on the 11th and 12th inst. He went to the field at the usual hour on the 11th and plowed corn all day and all night. We once heard of a man who spoke 23 hours to save his country, but this is the first instance of a man's plowing 24 hours to save his corn.

Married on Wednesday, July 6, 1881, near Wilson's Mill, by Rev. J. Q. Kirby, Mr. Chas. Hogan and Miss Mary Ballard, and at 3 p.m., same day, by some, Mr. Jo. A. Oldham and Miss Jeanie Hogan. May Heaven's choicest blessings rest upon the happy couple.

—Don't forget the barbecue at Barrett's Ferry, July 30th.

The race after the prisoners last Thursday morning was quite exciting.

—Mrs. Mary E. Overton, McHenry Ky., will cut and make dresses, sell patterns and trimmings for hats, &c. Give her a call. 25 fm

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—Mr. Daniel Scarce is announced as a candidate for marshal of the town of Hartford. He has had some experience as deputy sheriff, and will no doubt, if elected, make a good officer.

The funeral of Amos Bennett, that was to have been preached at Pleasant Hill church, July 30th, has been postponed on account of the indisposition of the minister, Rev. S. C. Allen.

—Mrs. Charlotte Barnett is at this writing quite low from a fractured hip caused from a fall on the floor, an account of which we gave last week. She is 77 years old, and will hardly recover from such a severe fracture.

The proprietors of the People's Tobacco Warehouse, 344 Main street, Louisville, Ky., are, as they have always been, students of the best interests of the producer and shipper, and farmers should mark their tobacco for shipment to that house.

—When your only and beloved son comes home scared up as the result of a juvenile fight, apply Kendall's Spavin Cure and the pain will cease and the infant will be greatly strengthened, and in all probability he will soon be in the White House. Read the advertisement.

—As there have been many instances this summer of boys drowning while bathing we would advise parents of the boys the mother advised her daughter when she wanted to go bathing, which was to "hang her clothes on a hickory limb and don't go near the water."

Lou Hill can quench your thirst with all or any of the best drinks known. He knows just how to fix them up right and is a polite, courteous saunter. His tobacco and cigars are of the best brands. Call on Lou when you wish a fragrant cigar or exhilarating drink.

McGill, the popular and thoroughbred photographer, will visit Litchfield about the 25th of July. His stay will be short, as he has to return here to finish up a large number of orders on hand and to accommodate many who have been kept back on account of the heat term.

The excursion train from Paducah to Louisville was removed Sunday morning and about 3 o'clock it ran over a horse belonging to George Thompson, of color; also, a colt—killing the horse, breaking the colt's leg, causing the engine to turn a complete somerset, scalding the engineer rather badly but not fatally, and threw the baggage car across the track. The train was derailed till about 1 o'clock p.m., by which time another engine was procured, the wreck removed, and the train went on. The accident occurred between Beaver Dam and Elm Lick.

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Valuable Green River Farm For Sale.

At a meeting of the Ohio County Bible Society, auxiliary to the American Bible Society, held at the counting room of P. V. Addington, in Hartford, Ky., July 19, 1881, present, A. B. Baird, President, E. T. Williams, J. S. Vaughn, S. W. Anderson, W. F. Gregory, J. E. Fogle, Directors; V. P. Addington, Secretary.

A resolution was adopted asking all the churches of the various denominations of Christians in the county at their monthly meeting in August to raise, by contributions, funds for the purpose of canvassing the county and supplying such families as are destitute of the Scriptures with them by sale or donation.

The Board examined the accounts of V. P. Addington, Secretary and Treasurer, and found them to be correct.

Bibles and Testaments can be had from the Secretary as follows: Testaments, 5 cents and upward; Bibles, 25 cents and upward.

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—We learn through Mr. J. M. Ferguson, our correspondent at White Run, that Esquire P. H. Alford's house was burglarized on Tuesday night of last week, and the Squire's pants pocket rifled of \$5.00. Something will have to be done to stop this wholesale petty stealing.

A lot of young men were bathing in Rough Creek a few miles above Hartford last Tuesday week. Mr. Thos. Newcomb was of the number and came near being drowned. He got in deep water and could not swim and went under and was going down the third and last time when rescued by a son of James A. Park.

We have much pleasure in recommending Thermaline to our readers as an absolute cure for malaria. The manufacturer's name alone is a guarantee of its merit. It sells at 25 cents per box. For particulars see advertisement. For sale by Thomas & Kimbley, Hartford, Ky.

—Mr. J. P. Hart, of Fordsville district, was seen on Monday and reports the crops in parts of Breckinridge, Ohio and Grayson counties, recently visited by him, as rather indifferent. The corn is very uneven; wheat good, but yield small; tobacco break and very indifferent.

The wind blows where it listeth. Just so with Crooke's celebrated "Vermifuge." It has given general satisfaction in all cases where it has been used, and it is certainly destined to become the most popular and renowned preparation now extant, and every one should call and get a bottle, as the price is only 25 cents.

The Standard Hotel, Louisville, Ky., still enjoys the big run of custom which it has had from the beginning. This popularity is deserved and the management will use every effort to keep it up. No better hotel is in Louisville or any other place, and our readers are advised to prove it to themselves.

—On last Thursday morning, Lafe Embry and Wm. Huneker, two prisoners confined in the jail, concluded to make a break for fresh air and liberty. Jaller Sullenger went up stairs for the purpose of cleaning up the jail, and when he opened the door they pushed him back into the bath-tub, and ran out down stairs and off for the woods. The bath-tub was rather narrow, and as Uncle Tom is a man of considerable weight, it took him some time to get up steam enough to get out. Get out he did though, and when he came down stairs and shouted for help, the whole town was aroused, and rushed off to pull him to the capture. The fugitives ran out to the end of Market street and took to the fields, running across Iler's cornfield to a thicket. Both were with out shoes, and on getting to the thicket found that they could go no further than a mile and a half. The pursuers by this time were close to the game and the excitement was running high. Those who were on horseback had passed beyond the thicket in order to head them off, and the footmen in the rear pushed in and captured the boys and brought them back to the jail hot and tired. Better care will be taken of them in the future. Henry Crow, confined on a charge of shooting with intent to kill, made no attempt to escape. Mr. Sullenger desires to return his thanks to those who so kindly assisted in the capture of the fleeing birds.

—The "grandest of the season" will be the barbecue at Barrett's Ferry, Saturday, July 30th. Balloon ascension, fine dinner, plenty of refreshments, music by the Owensboro Brass Band, fine hats, pictures, etc., will be voted for, and many other things too numerous to mention. Everybody that is in reach is going, and those who are not in reach should take two days to go.

—Oh! oh! how nice that chocolate is at the Red Front.

—Wheat threshing is in order over the country just now.

—If you want nice fresh tea cakes send to the Red Front.

—Hartford Normal School is increasing both in numbers and interest.

—According to the katydid sign we will have frost on the 3rd night in October.

—Quarterly Court began Monday and is still in session. The docket is about the usual size.

—Try some of that 12-cent coffee (8 pounds for a dollar) at the Red Front. Cheapest thing out.

—Nicest and freshest stock of family garments in Hartford at the Red Front.

—There have been no transactions in the matrimonial market during the past week. Probably owing to the extreme hot weather.

—John F. Rice has purchased the interests of his partner, T. E. Mann, in the Greenville Hotel, and promises to keep the reputation of the house up to its standard. This promise fulfilled will satisfy the public.

—Mr. L. M. Wilson, of Cool Spring neighborhood, has a lamb now some months old which has double hocks on its hind legs, and the bones of the leg are double up to the hip joint. It is as straight as ordinary lamb.

—Mr. Collier Tiecham, an old citizen of the Point Pleasant neighborhood, is quite sick and fears are entertained that he will not recover.

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The Power of Liquor.

The power of liquor to prostitute one of the most promising of men was shown recently in this city. A man who once commanded a salary of \$3,500 to \$5,000 and expenses for special work in which he ranked first-class a few years, applied for a job lately to work in the ditch with ordinary labor at \$1.25 a day. As a man he commanded the first-named salary; as a drunkard the last.—*Norwich Bulletin*.

Capturing an Englishman.

"Once I was filling an engagement at a London theater," said J. K. Emmet, the actor, "a gentleman with buttoned hair and a pipe in his mouth entered the box. He easily surveyed me through his eyeglass. I was feeling pretty good, and was acting with more than usual freedom. The audience roared with laughter, but not a muscle of his face moved. He stared at me like a gorgon. I was netted, and I determined to capture him. I did my best, but there he sat partially turned toward me in the easiest of positions with the coldest of faces. You could fairly read on his features: 'Well, upon my soul, I expected something pretty bad, you know, but this is perfectly execrable.' I lost my guard, and made no secret of my effort to capture him. The audience dropped on him, and became deeply interested. I warbled 'Wilhelmina Strauss,' and filled it to the brim with grotesqueness, but the fellow sat there like a stone statue entirely unmoved. Apparently nothing would fetch him. And so the performance progressed, the audience watching the man in the box more than it did me. At last I made an impression. It was in the act where I pranced around the stage with a little child astride my shoulders. A faint smile overspread the man's face. He raised his gloved hands and languidly clapped them twice. The audience screamed with delight, and from that time until the close of the performance I had every soul in the house with me. The *actress* of the child, combined with the acting, had been too much for him, and had brought him down."

A Healthy State.

People are constantly changing their homes from east to west and from north to south, or vice versa, in search of a healthy state. If they would learn to be contented, and to use the celebrated Kilney-Wort when sick, they would be much better off. The whole system can be kept in a healthy state by this simple but effectual remedy. See large advertisement.

At the White House.

The life of a President is largely one of drudgery. He must see and converse with hundreds of people who come to consult him on a great variety of matters, and to urge him to appoint, or not to appoint, this or that man to office. Either he must have a constitution of iron, or he must establish and adhere to rules securing to himself regularly a proper amount of leisure.

Among other duties that devolve upon the President is that of leading in the social life of Washington. It is expected that he will hold receptions at the White House, to which all well-educated persons in any walk of life are welcome, and that he will entertain the notable people who reside in Washington, or are there on a visit, at dinner.

A White House reception is a very informal affair, and it may be made exceedingly agreeable if the President and his wife are gracious, and possess not simply affability, but tact. No invitations to these receptions are given or needed. Announcement is simply made of the time one is to take place.

The President's wife is usually assisted on such occasions by one or more lady friends, who stand by her side. A shake of the hand and a few pleasant words between the hostess and each of her visitors, constitute the whole ceremony. The people come and go, staying five minutes or an hour, as pleases them.

Sometimes the guests are all gentlemen. At other dinner-parties the wives of the guest and other ladies are invited. The tables are decked with flowers from the White House conservatory, and the dinners are of the most elaborate description, with many courses, and dishes cooked in the most scientific manner.

The best thing about these State dinners is that they are private, and that there are no after-dinner speeches. There are no reporters to tell what the guests had to eat, and no man's appetite is spoiled by the thought that when the feast is over he has a speech to make.

If the guests are judiciously placed at the table, they have pleasant companionship with each other, and a cheerful chat when the dinner is over, and then they separate.

This is one of the least disagreeable duties of the President. In this matter he has freedom. He need invite guests to dinner only when he pleases, and with a few exceptions no man can feel slighted at not receiving an invitation when a dinner is given.

The Night-Air Superstition.

Before we can hope to fight consumption with any chance of success, we have to get rid of the night-air superstition. Like the dread of cold water, raw fruit, etc., it is founded on mistrust of our instincts. It is probably the most prolific single cause of impaired health, even among the civilized nations of our enlightened age, though its absurdities rival the grossest delusions of the witchcraft era. The subject of holy reason to hear say could hardly go further.

"Beware of the night-wind; be sure to close your windows after dark!" In other words, beware of God's free air; be sure and infect your lungs with the

stagnant, azotized and offensive atmosphere of your bed room. In other words, beware of the rock spring; stick to the sewerage. Is night-air injurious? Is there a single tenable pretext for such an idea? Since the day of creation that there is great uneasiness in the wheat markets both at home and abroad is evident, and when in a few weeks better estimates can be had of both the home and foreign crops, the markets will become steady, and the prices set on some fair basis and free from speculative influences.

The moist air of the tropical forest is impregnated with impunity by next relatives, the Anthropoid apes—the same apes that soon perish with consumption in the close, though generally well-warmed atmosphere of our Northern meanderings. Thousands of soldiers, hunters and lumbermen sleep every night in tents and open sheds without the least injurious consequences; men in the last stage of consumption have recovered by adopting a semi-savage mode of life and camping out doors in all but the stormiest nights.

Is it the draught you fear, or the contrast of temperature? Blacksmiths and railroad conductors seem to thrive under such influences. Draught! Have you never seen boys skating in the teeth of a snow-storm at the rate of fifteen miles an hour? They counteract the effect of the cold air by vigorous exercise. Is there no other way of keeping warm? Does the north wind damage the fine lady sitting motionless in her sleigh, or the pilot and helmsman of a storm-tossed vessel? It cannot be the inclemency of the open air, for even in sweltering summer nights the sweet south wind, blessed by all creatures that draw the breath of human life, brings no relief to the victim of a phobia.

There is no doubt that families who freed themselves from the curse of that superstition can live out and overhead in the heart of a great city than its slaves on the sliest highlands of the Southern Apennines.

Honored and Blest.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were skeptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that great medicine, Hop-Bitters, are honored and blessed by all benefactors.—*Democrat*.

Monthly Report of the Bureau of Agriculture, Horticulture and Statistics.

The problem that at this time excites the most universal interest throughout the world is the wheat crop: what is its amount? how is a shortage of the crop in this or that locality to affect the general market price? how is it to affect the price in Kentucky? are we to have cheap or dear bread? Those who are familiar with the bread riots of London and Paris, and in our own country, know how much the peace and good order of society depend on cheap bread. An advance of two cents a loaf in the metropolis of the old world, may in a day excite a riot that it would take a small army to quell. We have availed ourselves of every possible source of information, that we might arrive at something like reliable and just conclusions. So far as Kentucky is concerned (and her crop is a mere bagatelle compared with the wheat crop of the United States, much less when it is compared with the wheat crop of those parts of the world that come in competition with it in the markets), taking 11,000,000 bushels as the largest crop ever produced in the State, and the present crop, shortage in acreage taken into account, cannot reach more than 70 per cent. of it. As corroborative of this our correspondents from different parts of the State vary in their estimates from a half crop to 80 per cent. of a crop. It is in addition being daily demonstrated that the wheat is turning out in most instances below the estimates held a little while back. It is too late now to enter into the reasons "that brought about these results." This much has at least been demonstrated: that it pays to put ground in thorough preparation before sowing. This has been shown by the product of fields side by side of equal quality—the one being put in properly, and the other slouched in. If we were permitted to express our individual opinion, independent of the one to which we are guided by the estimates of correspondents, it would be that the Kentucky crop will sum up in the end below the estimate given. Affecting the general market, and the price of bread, the Kentucky crop would have but little bearing except for the reason that the wheat growing States of the West being similarly conditioned. From estimates before us, embracing all of the wheat growing States, we are forced to the conclusion that the deficit will be large as compared with the previous year's crop. Of course there cannot be an approximate estimate made of the extent of the deficiency. The wide range of guessing places it from 100 to 175,000,000 bushels. And yet with this deficit there will be a large surplus for exportation after supplying home demands.

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